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Messrs. Lloyd's Register of Shipping,  
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28th Sept. 1928.

Dear Sirs,

We are in receipt of your letter of the 28th inst. advising us that the boiler survey is due on the "SOLWAY FIRTH" and "ROYAL FIRTH". The next boiler cleaning for the "SOLWAY FIRTH" is due in about ten days time, and we then propose putting boiler through the survey.

So far as the "ROYAL FIRTH" is concerned, we have just cleaned her boiler within the last few days, and as she is commencing a charter for three months to run motorcars between Dover and Calais, you will appreciate that it would be most awkward to stop her again until the next boiler cleaning is due, which will be towards the end of November. We trust that under the circumstances you will agree to the boiler survey being done in November.

Yours faithfully,  
For G. T. GILLIE & BLAIR LIMITED.

*my opinion to remain as classed and to have fresh record of when the survey has been completed as above*

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Referred to Mr. S. A. Hill.

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